

Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, MAY 26, 1900.

LOCAL MATTERS.

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on rises tomorrow at 4:51 a. m. and at 7:23 High water at 5:21 noon and 5:53 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For the next 24 hours: fair tonight and Sunday; fresh breeze from east winds.

CHURCH SERVICES, ETC., SUNDAY.—Christ Church.—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. B. B. Green. St. Paul's Church.—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. P. P. Phillips. Grace Church.—Holy communion 7:15 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. C. E. Ball.

St. Mary's Church.—First Mass at 7 a. m. Solemn high mass at 10:30 a. m. and sermon by Rev. Father Cutler. Vesper service at 4 p. m.

Immanuel Lutheran Church.—Regular service at 11 a. m. in English by Rev. M. L. Lucke. Service in German at 8 p. m.

Second Presbyterian Church.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. F. J. Brooke.

Baptist Church.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. Dr. G. L. Hunt. Trinity Methodist Church.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. J. A. Jeffers. Young Peoples' prayer meeting at 7 p. m.

Meth. Epis. Church South.—9:15 a. m. Sunday school. Service at 11 a. m. by Rev. E. V. Regeater and Woman's Home Missionary Society meeting at 8 p. m.

Meth. Prot. Church.—9:15 a. m. Sunday school. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. E. A. Warfield.

Free Methodist Church.—Lee street, near Wilkes.—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Cameron.

Village Chapel, M. E. Church South.—Village street near Alfred.—Class meeting at 9 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 p. m.

Del Ray Chapel, M. E. Church South.—Sunday school at 9:30. Epworth League at 8 p. m.

Meeting at Midland Railroad reading room at 4 p. m. Service of prayer and praise with a short address.

Alma House.—Services at 3 p. m. Village Chapel, P. T. A. Episcop. (colored).—Sunday school at 8 p. m. Evening prayer and sermon at 8:30 p. m.

Roberts Chapel, M. E. Church (colored).—Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY.—The annual union district meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Baltimore Conference, M. E. Church South, will convene in the Southern Methodist Church tomorrow. The districts of Baltimore, East Baltimore and Washington will be represented at the meeting. A preliminary service of an informal nature will take place this evening at 8 o'clock. Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock a sermon on home missions will be delivered by Rev. E. V. Regeater, followed by special communion services. Children's services will be held at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon, and at 8 p. m. short addresses of welcome will be made by Mayor Simpson, Rev. Mr. Regeater and representatives, respectively, of the Alexandria Auxiliary, W. C. T. U., and Foreign Missionary Society. To these addresses Mrs. C. M. Hawkins, of Baltimore, will respond. Miss Elizabeth Bedford, the general organizer, will make an address on general mission work. The business session of the convention will be held Monday morning. The afternoon exercises will be held at 3 o'clock under the auspices of the conference proportionate and systematic giving department, directed by Mrs. R. E. L. Smith, of Washington. Rev. J. T. Williams and Mr. Hawkins, of Baltimore, will also speak. The meeting will close that night with discussion of educational work. Special music will be rendered and the public is cordially invited to attend these services.

MORE POLICY CASES.—Sergeant Smith and Officers Ferguson and Wilkinson made another haul of policy agents and promoters yesterday, and this morning William Leatherland and Harry McLearen were before the Mayor charged with this offense. Only one witness was present and he testified that he had given Leatherland money to play for him but had never received any returns from it. From the testimony the court found Leatherland guilty of unlawful gambling and imposed on him the corporation fine of twenty dollars.

McLearen's case was to have been postponed until Monday morning, but he said he was going to plead guilty any way, and would rather have the matter over with at once, so the court fined him fifty dollars for promoting policy.

THE MAY BALL given by Mrs. Flora C. Dyer at the National Rifles' Hall, Washington, last night, was a beautiful affair. Among those present were the following little girls from Alexandria: Mary Harlow, Kathleen Bizer, Cora Jones and Pauline, Katherine and Caroline Johnson, who acquitted themselves most gracefully in their various fancy dances and were the recipients of deserved applause. The feature of the evening was the wonderful dancing of little Elizabeth Forney, only five years old, who in seven different dances displayed most wonderful grace and ability. Mrs. Dyer will give a similar entertainment Tuesday, the 29th, in Alexandria, at Odd Fellows' Hall, and extends a cordial invitation to the relatives of her pupils and their friends.

POLICE COURT.—Mayor George L. Simpson presiding.—The following cases were disposed of this morning: Charles Baltimore, colored, charged with stealing 10 pounds of butter from F. O. Triplett, was sent on to court, this being his third offense of petit larceny.

John Bright, charged with stealing a clock from Bud Mankin, was dismissed. William D. Leatherland, charged with unlawful gambling, was fined \$20. Harry McLearen, charged with exhibiting and selling lottery tickets, was fined \$50.

NIGHT REPORT.—Last night was clear and cool. Two prisoners and one lodger were at the station house.

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Boys' Clothing Sacrificed.

\$3.50 worth of Cassimere and Wash Suits at 35c per cent, less than regular prices. Boys' Wash Suits, in domestic and crash, best fully trimmed; size 3 to 10c; 50c and 60c value.

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Boys' Wash Suits, in Galatea and Ch. v. v.; stylish trimmings; fast colors; sizes 3 to 10; \$1 value.

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Boys' Wash Suits, in English tow crash; brown or blue trimming; sizes 3 to 10; \$1.75 value.

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Boys' Double-breasted Wash Suits, in plain crash; well made; sizes 8 to 15; \$1 value.

73c.

Boys' Double-breasted Wash Suits, in five varieties; blue and check crash, gray chestnut and fancy domestics; sizes 8 to 15; \$1.25 and \$1.50 value.

98c.

Boys' Navy Blue Striped Three-piece Suits; double breasted; sizes 10 to 16; \$4 value.

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Boys' Percal Knee Pants 9c pair. Boys' Cottons and Fine Cheviot Knee Pants. 2 pairs for 25c

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PERSONAL.—Mr. Na. Boush is visiting his sister, Mrs. M. M. Moore, at Mr. Jackson.

Miss Dora Markell, of Warrenton, is visiting Miss Lee Field.

Mrs. Wm. C. Chaucery is quite ill at her home on south Fairfax street.

Mrs. G. A. Nowland is quite sick at her home on south Fairfax street.

Mrs. Maple, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. M. M. Moore, on Commerce street, left for her home in Charlotteville yesterday evening, accompanied by her niece, Miss Flora Mill-ton.

Mr. J. R. Cato has returned from Atlantic City, where he went to attend the sessions of the General Conference of the M. P. Church.

THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.—The Wallace prize contest for public speaking took place at the Seminary, near this city, last night. A large audience of students and "Hill" people greeted the speakers. The first prize was awarded to Mr. J. M. Owens, of the diocese of Southern Virginia, and the second to Mr. D. C. Mayers, of the diocese of Virginia. This contest is open to the senior class. The judges were Messrs. L. M. Blackford, W. H. Randolph, R. M. Slaughter, W. D. George Wise and Charles Wilkie.

The organ which was recently presented to the Seminary chapel is being put up by the Messrs. Stein, of Baltimore. It will be completed next week and promises to be a fine instrument.

BADLY BURNED.—Beattie Davis, the seventeen-year-old daughter of Mr. Henry Davis, who lives in Pulman's Row, on west Franklin street, was badly burned today and fears are entertained that she may not recover. She was ironing at the time and in some way her clothing caught fire from the cooking stove. In an instant she was enveloped in flames and before she could be extinguished she was terribly burned about her hands, face and body. Dr. Delaney was summoned and did all in his power to relieve her terrible sufferings and this evening she is resting as comfortably as could be expected.

INFORMATION FILED.—The Commonwealth's Attorney of Alexandria county, by permission of the Judge of the Circuit Court, has filed an information of a writ of warrant against the Potomac River Light and Power Company, the object of which is to ascertain by what right the company is exercising the franchise of its charter, which, it is claimed, has expired. It is rumored that the Ballston Railroad Company, whose charter, granted by the last legislature, gives that company very valuable rights and franchises near the Great Falls, is at the back of the legal proceedings.

FUNERAL.—The funeral of F. F. Hensley took place this evening at 4 o'clock from his late residence on Queen street and was attended by Sargent Lodge, Odd Fellows; Alexandria Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., and Alexandria Council, National Union. The pallbearers were Messrs. W. P. Hendshaw and S. F. Jackson, of the National Union; J. E. Boyd and Lewis McDaniel, of the Odd Fellows; and the Jr. O. U. A. M. The services were conducted by Rev. F. J. Brooke, of the Second Presbyterian Church.

DECORATION DAY.—Wednesday next will be Decoration Day and will be observed at the National Cemetery here, which is so well managed by Capt. J. V. Davis. The ceremonies will be in charge of Davis Post and will commence at noon. Mr. Renner and a quartette will render several vocal selections; President Lincoln's Gettysburg address will be read, and an address will be made. The Alexandria Light Infantry will fire a volley at the close of the ceremonies. Donations of flowers are requested and Capt. Davis extends an invitation to the public to be present.

THE S. RAWBERRY FESTIVAL being held in the lecture room of St. Paul's Church was well attended last night and was a most enjoyable affair. The room is beautifully decorated with Japanese lanterns, and the music furnished by the Mandolin, Guitar and Banjo Club, of this city, was very much enjoyed by all present. The festival will close at six o'clock this evening.

BENEFIT PAID.—Mr. R. W. Arnold today paid to the widow of Mr. E. R. Arnold \$3,000, the amount of the benefit held by the deceased in the Royal Arcanum.

ECLIPSE.—There will be an eclipse of the sun next Monday, May 28, beginning about 7:30 o'clock in the morning and continuing 7:30 o'clock. The eclipse will be almost total in this neighborhood. Astronomers are taking great interest in the eclipse and will make observation from various advantageous points.

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10th, 11th and F Sts., N. W.

Household Necessities.

"Dead Stock" for bugs. Large bottle, 13c. Peterman's Roach Food. Can. 10c. Peterman & Abbie's Rat Food. Can. 10c. Easly-mixed Household Paints. Can. 10c. Neal's Best Bath Tub Eramel. Can. 25c. Davies' Varnish Stain. For floors, can. 25c. Butcher's Borden Floor Wax Polish. Can. 50c. H. & H. for cleaning carpets and Dress Goods. Cake. 13c. Brilliantine for cleaning carpets and rugs. Can. 10c. Topp's Dressing for cleaning stone steps and sills. Can. 15c. Wellington's Knife Polish. Can. 10c. High Test Chloride of Lime. Bottle. 10c. Sulphur Candies, for fumigation. 12c. Large Bundles Cedar, for moth. 7c. Unique Furniture Polish. Can. 25c. Ammonia, double strength. Large bot. 5c. Putz Brass Polish. Can. 5c. Sterling Silver Polish. Can. 5c. Imported Safety Matches. Dozen boxes. 10c. Tack Hammer. Each. 5c. Garden Trowels. Each. 5c. Large Sulphur Boxes. Each. 10c. Persian Insect Powder. Can. 10c.

Hammocks.

The most complete line of Hammocks we have ever shown.

Hammocks from 45c to \$6.00—and every hammock accessory.

Lawn Swings, strongest made. Each \$4.50. Fourth floor.

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Freezes cream without the help of any one. Not as costly, either, as other freezers. See it work and try a bit.

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The "Woodward & Lothrop" Sewing Machines

Have the Woodward and Lothrop guarantee to assure of perfect satisfaction.

Price, \$18.00.

More elaborate cabinet work and added attachments make the machine cost more.

The finest cost \$25.00.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

STREET SPRINKLER.—City Engineer Holcombe today put in use on the streets the sprinkler loaned the city by Mr. J. M. Hill for sprinkling the streets. The water was given free by the Mutual Ice Company. The Alexandria Water Company has agreed to furnish water for the sprinkler at ten cents per 1,000 gallons which would cost less than 20 cents each day if the sprinkler is used and this, Mr. Holcombe says, will be cheaper than hauling the water from the ice company's plant.

THE MARKET today was well supplied with everything in season and there was a fair attendance of county and town people. Butter sold at 20c a pound, eggs 12c a dozen, green peas at 35c a peck, beans 5c a bush, asparagus 10c a bunch, radishes 12c a bunch, lettuce 13c a bunch, and "greens" were head, while onions and "greens" were cheap. Strawberries were in profusion and sold at 5c a box. There is no change in the price of meats.

A bicycle, supposed to have been stolen was hidden today back of the old blue kiln, in the southeastern part of the city. Later some small boys found the wheel and a trace had wrecked it. Officer Hall heard of the affair, recovered the different parts of the wheel and took them to the station house.

J. C. Kennedy, Roanoke, Tenn., says: "I cannot say too much for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. One box of it cured what the doctors called an incurable ulcer on my jaw." Cures piles and all skin diseases. Look out for worthless imitations.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

An infant child of Mr. Wright, who lives on north Payne street, was bitten by a rat while in its cradle last night.

The mission school of the Second Presbyterian Church will close on Tuesday next at which time there will be the usual treat for the children.

Baptizing services will be held at Battery Rodgers tomorrow at 9 o'clock, when several persons from Mt. Jezreel Church, colored, will be immersed in the river.

Messrs. J. A. & W. W. Cogswell have for sale the "prepayment gas meter," which is said to be the most economical contrivance ever used by gas consumers. By its use consumers can regulate the amount of gas desired to a fraction.

Four arrests were made in Washington yesterday by the detectives detailed on the Candler case. So far, however, no one has been positively identified by the injured man as one of those who assaulted him on the Long bridge several nights ago.

A colored man named Mitchell Wood shipped about 9:30 last night out of the back door of the electric railroad office on Royal street and bruised one of the bones of his leg near the ankle. He was carried to the station house, where he received attention. He said he lives in Washington.

Mr. S. H. Hunt sold at auction today for Mr. M. B. Harlow, trustee, a lot of ground, 17x85 feet, situated on the west side of Henric street at its southern intersection with Madison street to Mr. J. D. Normoly for \$110 cash.

Capt. Frank Roberts, Mate Robert Poley, Steward Carey Davis and Hooker Stoke Mills will leave here on a sloop tomorrow for the big marsh near Holland Point on a turtle fishing excursion.

It is reported that City Engineer Holcombe will replace some of the street cars with two horse wagons, and the report has caused some uneasiness among the owners of the carts.

Lieutenant Smith is on the lookout for those who have recently been placing stones in the "frog" of the electric railway tracks just outside the city limits.

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MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

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We will Display this Week an Entire New Line of Wash Goods.

Jaquard Swisses in the most beautiful designs, stripes, dots, figures and floral sprays, at 12 1/2c yd.

Mille Raye figured Dimities, as fine in quality as the imported goods, at 12 1/2c yd.

Embroidered Dotted Muslins in twenty-five new styles, at 12 1/2c yd.

Imperial Jaconats, navy and black grounds, also light ground with small figures, suitable for children's dresses, at 10c yd.

One case Scarborough Colored Lawns, 8c value, 5 1/4c yd.

One case Sea Island Percals, new designs, 10c yd.

One case Chester Dress Gingham, 8c value, at 5c yd.

White Pique, heavy round cord, worth 15c, at 10c yd.

White Organdies, 52 in wide, 15c yd.

French Nainsook, 19c value, at 12 1/2c yd.

Persian Lawns, at 17, 25, 39, 45 and 50c

One case Bates' Seersuckers, 8 1/2c yd.

Black and navy blue Pique, 12 1/2c yd.

Ladies' Lisle Thread Hose, plain and drop-stitched, 35c value, at 25c yd.

Children's Fast Black, Seamless Hose, double knees. Sizes 5 to 9, at 10c yd.

Ladies' Black Ribbed Vests, 12 1/2c yd.

White Swisses, medium and pin dots, at 12 1/2c yd.

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MEMORANDA.

Schr Chas W Church, for Washington, sailed from Bath 24th inst.

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE AMERICAN BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the stockholders of said association will be held at the principal office of the association 105 south Columbia street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 2 o'clock p. m. on WEDNESDAY, June 6, 1900. By order of the Board of Directors.

W. J. FRIZZELL, Secretary.

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Some unusually big attractions in the Boys' Clothing Department that should attract you to town—and HERE—tomorrow. We are open until nine o'clock Saturday night.

Lot of Boys' Double-breasted and Brownie Suits, in neat Brown Cheviot light-weight; Brownies are trimmed with braid and have the small, dressy coat collar, or the large sailor collar, whichever you prefer; all sizes, 3 to 15 years.

Worth \$2—every cent of \$1.10

Special, Boys' Brown Cheviot Knee Pants Suits, with Double-breasted Jackets, and with each suit an extra pair of pants which have double seats and knees. Every thread wool; and well made and tailored in every particular; sizes 7 to 15 years. The